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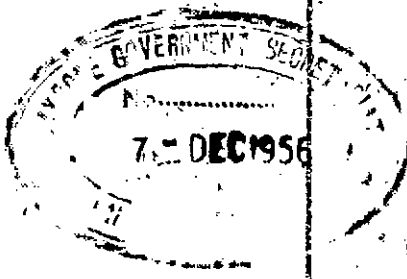

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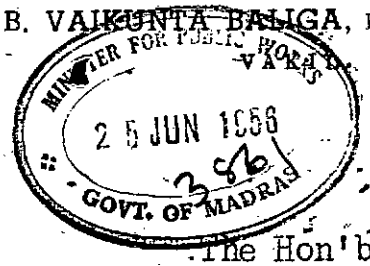

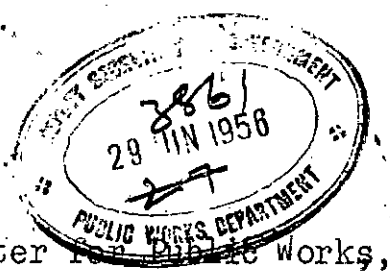

Date 21st June, 1956

The Hon'ble Minister for Public Works,
Government of Madras,
Fort St. George,
MADRAS.

Dear Sri Setupathi,

Rural electrification is highly useful in South Kanara District. Existence of about 21 Perennial rivers ensure adequate water supply. But using this water for irrigation by gravitational diversion is notpossible on account of the terrain being undulating and highly uneven. Existence of several hillocks and the torrentious courses of the rivers prevent laying out of channels as on flat grounds. But potentially these rivers are as good as dams, built up at enormous cost and ensure supply as is made possible in other places only after the dams are so put up. In fact the position is that on the second stage that is reached after the dams are erected, i.e., the question of distribution of water, in South Kanara District this can be achieved by putting up small pump sets of 2 to 8 H.P. all along the banks of the rivers. This will step up food production over atleast a lakh and 50,000 acres. To achieve this rural electrification is necessary.

In the course of the conference held at the Secretariat for discussion of the break-up of the II Five year Plan for S.Kanara District Rural electrification of 300 villages was agreed upon. Hence I suggest of the taking up of rural electrification on either side of the banks of rivers as a first

step. I wish the matter should be treated as urgent.

with best regards,

Yours sincerely,

B. V. Bahuguna.

PWO(Ee)

Endt no 3881E/56-1 dtd 2/7/56

Referred to the CE(E) for early remarks.

1-7-56

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To the CE(E), with a copy of H.I-2 note

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Memo No. 3861E/56 (M-2) PWD(E2) 10.8.56.

Electricity - South Kanara Distt -

Rural electrification

Ref: Endt no. 3861 E/56-1 PW dated 2.7.56

The CE(E) is requested to expedite his remarks.

9.8.56

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To CENERAL DE PATCH BRANCH

Sec'd 10/8/56 (E)

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GOVERNMENT ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

From:

Sri V.P. Appadurai, B.A., M.I.E.(Ind).,
Chief Engineer for Electricity,
157, Mount Road, Madras-2.

To:

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department, Madras.

No. 2742 F/56-2, dated 6-9-1956.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
17 SEP 1956
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Sub: ELECTRICITY--South Kanara Dt.--Rural Electrification.

Ref: Govt. Memo. No.3861 E/56-M2, dated 10th Aug. 1956 received in this office on 3-9-56.

With reference to Government Memorandum cited, I have to state that the matter has been referred to the field officer for remarks and his report is awaited shortly. The officer is being specially reminded. A further communication will be sent to Government soon on receipt of the field report.

PC 7 9 for CHIEF ENGINEER FOR ELECTRICITY.

GOVERNMENT ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

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Sri V.P. Appadurai, B.A., M.I.E.(Ind.),
Chief Engineer for Electricity,
157, Mount Road, Madras-2.

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Madras.

No.2742-F/56-4, d/ 8.10.56.

Sir,

Sub: Electricity - South Kanara District - Rural electrification.

Ref: 1. Govt. Endt. No.3861-E/56-1, d/.2.7.56.
2. My Letter No.2742-F/56-2, d/. 6.9.56.

With reference to Sri Vaikunta Bliga's suggestion regarding the rural electrification schemes along the banks of rivers in South Kanara District, I have to state that the extension of electricity for irrigation purposes along the river banks is a feasible proposition.

2. The construction of a 11 K.V. line along the northern bank of Nettravathi river from Mangalore to Buntwal is already nearing completion.

3. In view of the fact that the area will form part of the New Mysore State the matter will have to be taken up by that State. I suggest that Sri Vaikunta Baliga may please be informed accordingly.

FOR CHIEF ENGINEER(ELECTRICITY)

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P.W.D.(E-2).

Letter No. 386/E/56-3 dated 25-10-56

To

Sri. B. Vaikunta Baliga M.L.A.,
Loretto Villa, Kodialbail,
Mangalore-3.

Sir,

Sub: Electricity - South Kanara Dt- Rural Electrification.

Ref: Your letter dt. 21-6-56 to M(W).

I am directed to state that your suggestion regarding taking up of rural electrification schemes for irrigation purposes along the river banks in South Kanara Dt. is a feasible proposition and in this direction, the Govt. have already taken up the construction of a 11 K.V. line along the northern bank of Nettravathi river from Mangalore to Buntval and this is already nearing completion. As South Kanara Dt. will form part of the new Mysore State from 1.11.56 I am directed to suggest that you take up the matter further with that Govt.

y.f.

18/10/56
Dee
19.10.56

25/10/56
(for Secy)

NOTE:

Please see the letter from Sri. B.Vaikunta Baliga M.L.A. on pp.1-2 n.f. and the remarks of the C.E.(E) thereon p.7 c. The draft letter above is for approval.

18/10/56
Dee
19.10.56

25/10/56

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